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First produced Constanzi Theatre, Rome, January 14, 1900

Book by ILLICOSA and GIACOSA, after the drama by SARDOU,
"LA TOSCA"

Dramatis Personae:

Mario Cavaradossi (a Painter).....	ALVINIO MISCIANO
Baron Scarpia (Chief of Police) {	TITO GOBBI
.....	PAOLO SILVERI (May 19)
Cesare Angelotti (an escaped Prisoner).....	PLINIO CLABASSI
Floria Tosca (an Opera Star).....	MARIA BOI
Spoletta (a Police Agent).....	BRENDAN CAVANAGH
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ACT 2.....Scarpia's offices in the Farnese Palace

ACT 3.....Battlement of the Prison, above the Courtyard

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TUESDAY	18th	FORCE OF DESTINY Mancini, Marini, Bardi, Clabassi, Forgione, La Porta Conductor : Morelli
WEDNESDAY	19th	TOSCA Boi, Cavanagh, Clabassi, Silveri, La Porta, Misciano
THURSDAY	20th	LA TRAVIATA Gigli, Cavanagh, Clabassi, La Porta, Misciano, Silveri Conductor : Doyle
FRIDAY	21st	FORCE OF DESTINY As on May 18
SAT. EVG.	22nd	LA TRAVIATA As on May 20

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